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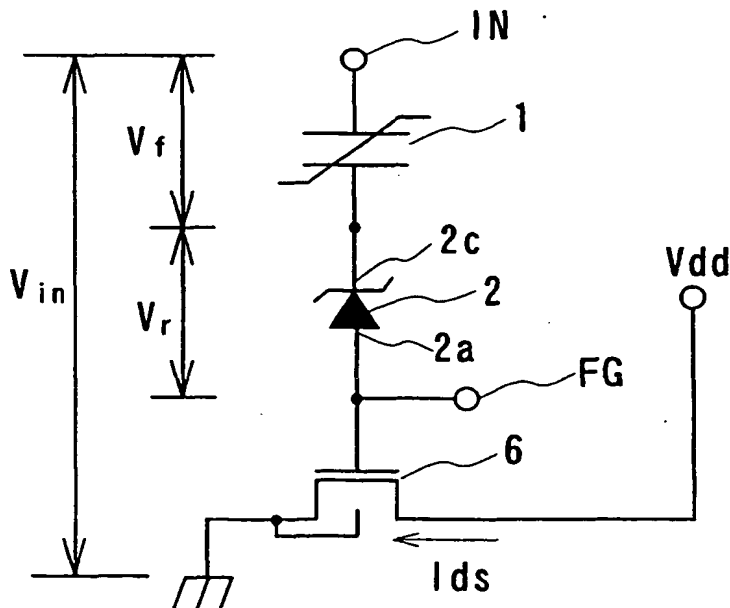
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(54) Title: FERROELECTRIC GATE DEVICE

(54) 発明の名称: 強誘電体ゲートデバイス



(57) Abstract: A ferroelectric gate device includes a ferroelectric capacitor (1), a switch element (2) functioning as a resistor or a capacitor according to a voltage applied, a field effect transistor (6) having a source, drain, and a gate. The ferroelectric capacitor (1) has one end having an input terminal (IN). The other end of the ferroelectric capacitor (1) is connected to one end of the switch element (2). The other end of the switch element (2) is connected to the gate of the field effect transistor (6). When voltage is applied to the input terminal and a voltage equal to or above the coercive voltage (V_c) of the ferroelectric substance of the ferroelectric capacitor (1) is applied to the ferroelectric capacitor (1), the switch element (2) functions as a resistor. When voltage is applied to the input terminal and a voltage smaller than the coercive voltage (V_c) of the ferroelectric substance of the ferroelectric capacitor

(1) is applied to the ferroelectric capacitor (1), the switch element (2) functions as a capacitor.

(57) 要約: 強誘電体キャパシタ (1) と、印加電圧に応じて抵抗またはキャパシタとして振る舞うスイッチ素子 (2) と、ソース、ドレイン、およびゲートを有する電界効果トランジスタ (6) とを備え、前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) の一端には入力端子 (IN) が備えられ、前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) の他端と前記スイッチ素子 (2) の一端とが接続され、前記スイッチ素子 (2) の他端と前記電界効果トランジスタ (6) のゲートとが接続され、前記入力端子に電圧が印加されることにより、前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) が備えている強誘電体の抗電圧 (V_c) 以上の電圧が前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) に印加されるとき、前記スイッチ素子 (2) は抵抗として振る舞い、前記入力端子に電圧が印加されることにより、前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) が備えている強誘電体の抗電圧 (V_c) よりも小さい電圧が前記強誘電体キャパシタ (1) に印加されるとき、前記スイッチ素子 (2) はキャパシタとして振る舞う強誘電体ゲートデバイス。

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